PROOF OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF KANSAS, OTTAWA COUNTY, ss:

ERIK SHUPE, being first duly sworn, says he is Publisher of THE MINNEAPOLIS MESSENGER which is a weekly newspaper, printed and of general circulation in said County of Ottawa, State of Kansas; that the annexed notice was published in said paper for one consecutive week(s), the first publication being on the 30th day of July, 2015, and the last publication on the 30th day of July 2015; and that said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly published in said County during the period of fifty-two consecutive weeks prior to the first publication of said notice, and said newspaper has been admitted to the mails as Second Class matter in said county.

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2015.



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State of Kansas 2016 Budget Form

NOTICE OF HEARING 2016 Budget
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CERTIFICATE - City of Bennington, Kansas 2016 Budget

To the Clerk of Ottawa, State of Kansas We, the undersigned officers of City of Bennington

certify that: 1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was duly approved and adopted as the
maximum expenditure for the various funds for the year 2016; and 3) the Amount(s)
of 2015 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2016 Budget.

			2016 Adopted Budget			
Table of Contents:	K.S.A.	Page No.	Expenditures	Amount of 2015 Ad Valorem Tax	County Clerk's Use Only	
Computation to Det. Limit for 2016		2	0	0		
MVT, RVT, 16/20M Tax Allocation		3	0	. 0		
Schedule of Transfers		4	0	0		
Statement of Indebtedness		5	0	0		
Statement of Lease Purchases		6	. 0	. 0		
General Fund	12-101a	7	225,817	88,694		
Bond & Interest	10-113	8	12,710	9,285		
Capital Improvement Bond		9	0	0		
Employee Benefits	12-16,102	10	0	0		
Recreation	12-1927	11	14,501	11,817		
Special Highway		12	34,792	, , ,		
Landfill Fund		13	42,731	0		
Sewer Fund		14	104,983	0		
Water Fund		15	126,541	0		
Storm Sewer Fund		16	9,127	0		
Sewer Rehab Fund		17	38,059	0		
Capital Improvement Fund		18	17,921	0		
Equipment Reserve		19	1,636	0		
Total		· <u>-</u>	628,818	109,796		
Hearing Notice/Budget Summary Publication Charters/Election Questions		20				
Final Assessed Valuation						

Final	Assessed	Valuation
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State Use Only: Received Reviewed by Follow-up: Yes No	Steve Seawall Custom Micro Works 15104 NW 94 Road Topeka, KS 66618-9532				
Attest:,	2015 (If not assisted so state)				

Assisted by:

County Clerk

List any resolution setting a fund levy limit:

Computation to Determine Limit for 2016 Budget

				Amount of Levy
1.	Total tax levy amount in 2015 budget		•	107,864
2.	Debt service levy in 2015 budget			0
3.	Tax levy excluding debt service (1 - 2)			107,864
	2015 Valuation Info. for Valuation Adjustments:			
4.	New Improvements for 2015		2,332	
5.	Increase in personal property for 2015			
	5a. Personal property 2015	85,199		
	5b. Personal property 2014	81,322		•
	5c. Increase in personal property (5a - 5b) If 5c is negative, enter a zero		3,877	
6.	Valuation of annexed territory for 2015			
	6a. Real estate	0		
	6b. State assessed	0		
	6c. New improvements	0		
	6d. Total adjustment (6a + 6b - 6c)		0	•
7.	Valuation of property changed in use during 2015		0	
8.	Total valuation adjustment (4 + 5c + 6d + 7)	_	6,209	
9.	Total estimated valuation July 1, 2015	3,250,950		
10.	Total valuation less valuation adjustment (9 - 8)		3,244,741	
11.	Factor for increase (8 divided by 10)		.00191	
12.	Amount of increase (11 times 3)			206
13.	Maximum tax levy, excluding debt service, prior to CPI adjustment (3 + 12)			108,070
14.	Debt service levy in this 2016 budget			0
15.	Tax levy, including debt service, prior to CPI adjustment (13 + 14)		-	108,070
16.	Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers for calendar	year 2014	·	1.6000 %
17.	Consumer Price Index adjustment (3 times 16)		_	1,726
18.	Maximum levy for budget year 2016, including debt service, not requiring 'notice of vote publication.' (15 + 17)		_	109,796

If the 2016 adopted budget includes a total property tax levy exceeding the dollar amount on line 18, you must publish notice of vote by the governing body to adopt such budget in the official county newspaper and attach a copy of the published notice to this budget.

Schedule of Transfers

Year Fund Transferred From:	Funds Transferred To: .	Amount Statutory Authority
2014 Employee Benefits	General Fund	1,415 Closing Fund
	•	1,415

Allocation of Motor Vehicle Tax, Rec Vehicle Tax, 16/20M Vehicle Tax, Com Vehicle Tax and Watercraft Tax

			Allocat	tion for Ye	ar 2016	<u> </u>	
2015 Budgeted Fund	Tax Levy Amount in 2015 Budget	MVT	RVT	16/20M Veh Tax	Commercial Veh Tax	Watercraft Veh Tax	
General Fund	95,302	15,454	. 196	696	970	0	
Bond & Interest	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Recreation	12,562	2,037	26	92	128	0	
	107,864	17,491	222	788	1,098	0	

Statement of Indebtedness

Issue Retire Interest	Amount of Bonds	Amount Outstanding	Due Date	Amount D	ue 2015	Amount Due 2016		
Date Date Rate	Issued	- 2-	Interest/Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	
Gen Obl Bonds Water/Traffic 2012 12/12 12/22 2	77,000	63,000	6/1 & 12/1 12/1	1,260	7,000	1,120	8,000	
Other	-	63,000	-	1,260	7,000	1,120	8,000	
KDHE Revolving Loan 9/01 9/20 3.55	414,097	154,721	3/1 & 9/1 9/1	4,913	23,573	4,128	24,417	
	· -	154,721	-	4,913	23,573	4,128	24,417	

Statement of Lease Purchases and Certificates of Participation

	Date of Contract	Term of Contract (Months)	Interest Rate	Total Amount Financed (Beg Prin)	Principal Balance 1-1-2015	Payments Due 2015	Payments Due 2016
Lease Purchase					•		
2014 Grasshopper	02/14	36	4.55	11,598	7,698	3,900	3,798
Water Line Project-16K	05/15	60	2.50	16,000	0	1,988	3,408
Water Line Project-32K	05/15	60	2.50	32,000	0	3,976	6,816
					7,698	9,864	14,022

		Prior Year Actual 2014	Current Year Estimate 2015	Proposed Budget 2016
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan.	1	28,898	80,849	29,191
Cancelled Prior Year Encumbrance		0		
Receipts				
Ad Valorem Tax		80,908	95,302	0
Motor Vehicle Tax		10,436	15 , 517	15,454
Rec Vehicle Tax		171	264	196
16/20M Vehicle Tax		451	495	696
Commercial Vehicle Tax		654	0	970
Delinquent Tax		2,471	2,000	2,000
Sales Tax Franchise Fees		67,232	23,976	23,976
Licenses and Permits		29,958 1,094	40,000 1,000	44,000
Pool Receipts		9,511	12,612	1,000 12,612
Fines and Forfeitures		302	150	150
Tower Lease	•	2,448	0	0
Interest Income		956	700	700
Gifts and Donations		1,000	0	0
Reimbursed Expenses		1,217	3,178	3,178
Transfer from Empl Benef		6,430	0	0
Miscellaneous		5,172	3,000	3,000
Total Receipts		220,411	198,194	107,932
Resources Available		249,309	279,043	137,123
Expenditures				
General Government	Personal Services	21,700	70,000	75,000
Concrat Government	Contractual Services	50,534	52,000	59,469
	Materials and Supplies	6,333	26,000	22,000
	Capital Outlay	333	0	0
	Remittances	25,536	0	0
	Debt Service	1,195	0	0
	Debt Service			
		105,631	148,000	156,469
Governing Body	Personal Services	9,382	3,552	3,548
		9,382	3,552	3,548
Municipal Court	Personal Services	1,292	1,000	1,000
		1,292	1,000	1,000
Zoning Commission	Personal Services	592	500	500
	Other	25	0	0
		617	500	500
The second	Gt1 G	105	500	
Fire	Contractual Services			500
		105	500	500
Arena	Contractual Services	825	500	500
		825	500	500
Streets	Contractual Services	9,726	500	1,000
	Materials and Supplies	672	0	0
	Debt Service	195	0	0
		10,593	500	1,000
Street Lights	Contractual Services	802	11,000	12,000
Screet Lights	Concractual Services			
		802	11,000	12,000
Recreation	Personal Services	7,282	2,000	3,000
	Contractual Services	. 751	1,000	1,000
		8,033	3,000	4,000
Parks	Contractual Services	463	0	0
	Materials and Supplies	26	0	0
	•	489		
Swimming Pool	Personal Services	22,374	28,000	28,000
- J 	Contractual Services	2,562	45,000	10,000
	Materials and Supplies	5,755	7,000	7,000
	with papping	0,,00	,,000	.,000
		30 601	90 000	45 000
Debt Service.	Mower lease	30,691	80,000 1,300	45,000 1,300

	Prior Year Actual 2014		Current Year Estimate 2015		Proposed Budget 2016	
		•		1,300	1,300	
Total Expenditures		168,460		249,852	225,817	
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec. 31		80,849		29,191	xxxxxxxxxxx	
Non-Appropriated Balance	,			_	0	
Total Expenditures and Non-Appropriated Balance				_	225,817	
Tax Required					88,694	
Delinquency Computation					0	
Amount of 2015 Ad Valorem Tax				-	88,694	

City of Bennington Bond & Interest

		Prior Year Actual 2014	Current Year Estimate 2015	Proposed Budget 2016
Unencumbered Cash Balance,	Jan. 1	6,655	10,595	3,425
Cancelled Prior Year Encumbr	rances	. 0		
Receipts				
Ad Valorem Tax		9,746	0	0
Motor Vehicle Tax	-	932	932	0
Rec Vehicle Tax		15	15	0
16/20M Vehicle Tax		43	43	0
Commercial Vehicle Tax		57	80	0
Delinquent Tax		144	. 0	0
Watercraft Tax		0	20	0
Total Receipts		10,937	1,090	0
Resources Available		17,592	11,685	3,425
Expenditures				
Debt Service	Contingency Reserve	. 0	0	3,590
	GO Bond Principal	5,278	7,000	8,000
	GO Bond Interest	1,719	1,260	1,120
		6,997	8,260	12,710
Total Expenditures		6,997	8,260	12,710
Unencumbered Cash Balance, I	Dec. 31	10,595	3,425	xxxxxxxxxx
Non-Appropriated Balanc	ce			0
Total Expenditures and	Non-Appropriated Balance		_	12,710
Tax Required				9,285
Delinquency Computation	1			0
Amount of 2015 Ad Valo	orem Tax		_	9,285

City of Bennington Capital Improvement Bond

	Prior Year
•	Actual 2014
	34,000
	0
	0
	34,000
Contractual Services	17,685
	17,685
	17,685
1 .	16,315

City of Bennington Employee Benefits

		Prior Year Actual 2014
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan. 1	-	6,144
Cancelled Prior Year Encumbrances		0
Receipts		
Ad Valorem Tax		54
Motor Vehicle Tax		. 620
Rec Vehicle Tax		10
16/20M Vehicle Tax		27
Commercial Vehicle Tax		43
Delinquent Tax		146
Total Receipts		900
Resources Available		7,044
Expenditures		
Transfer Out	Transfer to General Fund	6,430
		6,430
Employee Benefits	Personal Services	614
		614
Total Expenditures		7,044
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec. 3	31	0

City of Bennington Recreation

		Prior Year Actual 2014	Current Year Estimate 2015	Proposed Budget 2016
Unencumbered Cash Balance,	Jan. 1	155	14,704	401
Cancelled Prior Year Encumb	orances	. 0		
Receipts				-
Ad Valorem Tax	*	12,215	12,562	0
Motor Vehicle Tax Rec Vehicle Tax		1,683	2,091 .36	2,037 26
16/20M Vehicle Tax		71	67	92
Commercial Vehicle Tax		106	0	128
Delinquent Tax		447	0	0
Total Receipts		14,549	14,756	2,283
Resources Available		14,704	29,460	2,684
Expenditures				
Recreation	Appropriation to Rec	. 0	29,059	14,501
			29,059	14,501
Total Expenditures		0	29,059	14,501
Unencumbered Cash Balance,	Dec. 31	14,704	401	xxxxxxxxxxx
Non-Appropriated Balan	ice			0
Total Expenditures and	Non-Appropriated Balance		, <u>-</u>	14,501
Tax Required				11,817
Delinquency Computatio	on .			0
Amount of 2015 Ad Val	orem Tax		·	11,817

City of Bennington Special Highway

		Prior Year Actual 2014	Current Year Estimate 2015	Proposed Budget 2016
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jar	n. 1	13,587	9,962	17,362
Cancelled Prior Year Encumbrar	nces	0		
Receipts				
State Motor Fuels Tax		17,223	17,400	17,430
Total Receipts		17,223	17,400	17,430
Resources Available		30,810	27,362	34,792
Expenditures				-
Streets	Contractual Services	20,848	10,000	34,792
		20,848	10,000	34,792
Total Expenditures		20,848	10,000	34,792
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec	a. 31	9,962	17,362	0

City of Bennington Landfill Fund

		Prior Year Actual 2014	Current Year Estimate 2015	Proposed Budget 2016
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Ja	n. 1	13,587	7,731	12,731
Cancelled Prior Year Encumbra	nces	0		
Receipts				
Trash Service Fees		27,976	30,000	30,000
Total Receipts		27,976	30,000	30,000
Resources Available		41,563	37,731	42,731
Expenditures				
Trash Utility	Contractual Services	33,824	25,000	25,000
	Materials and Supplies	8	0	7,253
	Capital Outlay	0	0	10,478
		33,832	25,000	42,731
Total Expenditures	•	33,832	25,000	42,731
Unencumbered Cash Balance, De	c. 31	7 , 731	12,731	0

City of Bennington Sewer Fund

		Prior Year Actual 2014	Current Year Estimate 2015	Proposed Budget 2016
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan.	1	13,393	19,526	24,983
Cancelled Prior Year Encumbrance	s	0		
Receipts			•	
Sewer Service Fees		79,087	80,000	80,000
Total Receipts		79,087	80,000	80,000
Resources Available		92,480	99,526	104,983
Expenditures				
Sewer Utility	Personal Services	36,382	36,000	37,000
	Contractual Services	22,273	13,000	13,954
	Materials and Supplies	3,280	10,000	10,000
	Capital Outlay	0	0	28,456
		61,935	59,000	89,410
Debt Service	Mower lease	0	1,300	1,300
	Loan Principal	6,000	11,786	12,209
	Loan Interest	3,150	2,457	2,064
	Lease-Purchase Payments	1,869	0	0
		11,019	15,543	15,573
Total Expenditures		72,954	74,543	104,983
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec.	31	19,526	24,983	0

City of Bennington Water Fund

		Prior Year Actual 2014	Current Year Estimate 2015	Proposed Budget 2016
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan.	1	28,871	52,797	36,541
Cancelled Prior Year Encumbrance	es	0		
Receipts				
Utility Sales Tax Late Charges Water Service Fees		473 6,655 87,327	0 0 90,000	0 0 90,000
Total Receipts		94,455	90,000	90,000
Resources Available		123,326	142,797	126,541
Expenditures			·	
Water Utility	Personal Services Contractual Services Materials and Supplies Capital Outlay	37,659 28,243 2,758 0 68,660	. 40,000	38,000 40,000 15,000 25,285 118,285
Debt Service	Mower lease Lease-Purchase Payments	0 1,869 1,869	1,300 6,956 8,256	1,300 6,956 8,256
Total Expenditures		70,529	106,256	126,541
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec.	31	52,797	36,541	0

City of Bennington Storm Sewer Fund

		Prior Year Actual 2014	Current Year Estimate 2015	Proposed Budget 2016
Unencumbered Cash Balance,	Jan. 1	3,762	7,127	5,627
Cancelled Prior Year Encum	brances	0		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Receipts				
Utility Service Charg	es	3,365	3,500	3,500
Total Receipts		3,365	3,500	3,500
Resources Available		7,127	10,627	9,127
Expenditures				
Sewer Utility	Contractual Services	0	5,000	9,127
			5,000	9,127
Total Expenditures		0	5,000	9,127
Unencumbered Cash Balance,	Dec. 31	7,127	5,627	0
	•			

City of Bennington Sewer Rehab Fund

		Prior Year Actual 2014	Current Year Estimate 2015	Proposed Budget 2016
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan. 3	L	16,430	18,302	21,059
Cancelled Prior Year Encumbrance:	s	0		
Receipts				
Utility Service Charges		16,301	17,000	17,000
Total Receipts		16,301	17,000	17,000
Resources Available		32,731	35,302	38,059
Expenditures				
Sewer Utility	Capital Outlay	0	0_	23,786
				23,786
Debt Service	Loan Principal	11,479	11,786 -	12,209
	Loan Interest	2,950	2,457	2,064
	•	14,429	14,243	14,273
Total Expenditures		14,429	14,243	38,059
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec. 3	31	18,302	21,059	0

City of Bennington Capital Improvement Fund

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		Prior Year Actual 2014	Current Year Estimate 2015	Proposed Budget 2016
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan	. 1	17,921	17,921	17,921
Cancelled Prior Year Encumbran	ces	0		<u> </u>
Receipts				
Total Receipts		, 0	0	0
Resources Available		17,921	17,921	17,921
Expenditures				
Capital Improvements	Capital Outlay	0	0	17,921
			_	17,921
Total Expenditures		0	0	17,921
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec	. 31	17,921	17,921	0

City of Bennington Equipment Reserve

	Prior Year Actual 2014	Current Year Estimate 2015	Proposed Budget 2016
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan. 1	1,636	1,636	1,636
Cancelled Prior Year Encumbrances	0		
Receipts			
Total Receipts	0	0	0
Resources Available	1,636	1,636	1,636
Expenditures			
Equipment Reserve Capital Outlay	0	0_	1,636
		_	1,636
Total Expenditures	0	. 0	1,636
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec. 31	1,636	1,636	0

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Employee Benefits	7,044		0		0	0	.000
Recreation	0	3.635	29,059	3.635	14,501	11,817	3.635
Special Highway	20,848		10,000		34,792	0 .	.000
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Storm Sewer Fund	0		5,000		9,127	0	.000
Sewer Rehab Fund	14,429		14,243		38,059	. 0	.000
Capital Improvement Fund	0		0		17,921	. 0	.000
Equipment Reserve	. 0		0		1,636	0	.000
Totals	412,778	30.597	522,213	31.213	628,818	109,796	33.773
Less: Transfers	1,415		0		0		
Net Expenditures	411,363		522,213		628,818		
Total Tax Levied	105,551		107,864				
Assessed Valuation	3,	449,954	3,	455,730	, 3,2	250,950	

	Outstanding Indebtedness, January 1,				
	2013	2014	2015		
General Obligation Bonds	102,000	85,000	63,000		
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0		
No-Fund Warrants	0	0	0		
Temporary Notes	0	0	0		
Lease Purchase Principal	8,769	13,748	7,698		
Other Debt	199,450	177,479	154,721		
Total	310,219	276,227	225,419		

Clerk